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(PATENT APPLICATION - 37 C.F.R. § 1.192)**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith, in triplicate, is the Appeal Brief in the above-referenced patent application, with respect to the Notice of Appeal filed on February 14, 2003. A Petition for One-Month Extension of Time is being filed herewith.

U.S. Serial No. 09/268,412

This Appeal Brief is being submitted on behalf of Assignee, Dynasty Footwear, Ltd., a corporation other than a small entity.

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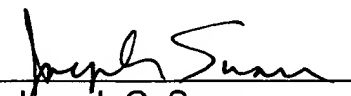
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